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SUBJECT: JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE: MATTER OF HOWARD FUEL CORP.

1. U.S. DEPT OF ENERGY REQUIRES EVIDENCE FOR USE IN ITS
PROSECUTION OF A CASE INVOLVING SHIPMENT OF OIL FROM
COMPANIA SHELL DE VENEZUELA, PUNTA CORDON, VENEZUELA TO
N.Y.C.

2. IN PARTICULAR, D.O.E. NEEDS TO ESTABLISH THAT THE
SHIPMENT WAS INSURED BY HOWARD FUEL CORP, 48-02 54TH
AVENUE, MASPETH, N.Y. D.O.E. BELIEVES THE SHIPMENT WAS
INSURED THROUGH SALTER AND WALKER INSURANCE CO. LTD.,
37-39 LIME ST., LONDON, EC3M-7BH. OIL WAS TRANSPORTED ON
BOARD M/S MARIANA IN JANUARY, 1974.

3. DOE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE WRITTEN EVIDENCE THAT THE SHIP-
MENT WAS INSURED BY HOWARD FUEL. EVIDENCE COULD BE IN
FORM OF A STATEMENT FROM THE COMPANY. D.O.E. WOULD ALSO
APPRECIATE KNOWING HOW PAYMENT WAS MADE AND BY WHOM. IF
DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE OF THIS IS AVAILABLE (E.G. A CERTIFIED
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TRUE COPY OF THE RECEIPT OR THE CHECK), D.O.E. WOULD BE
GRATEFUL.

4. CASE IS COMING TO TRIAL SHORTLY; PLEASE INFORM DEPT OF

RESULTS OF EMBASSY'S INQUIRY AS SOON AS THEY ARE
KNOWN. VANCE

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